

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently Amended) An integrated mirror mounted on a front pillar of a vehicle, comprising:

an inside mirror part for reflecting an inside field of vision of ~~behind a~~ behind the vehicle;

an outside mirror part for reflecting an outside field of vision of behind the ~~vehicle;~~
and vehicle;

coupling means extending from inner and outer sides of the front pillar for coupling the inside mirror part and the outside mirror part so that their respective mirror faces are ~~parallel;~~ parallel with respect to each other; and

attaching means provided at a midpoint along a length of the coupling means and mounted rotatably inside an upper part of the front pillar for attaching the integrated mirror to the front pillar.

wherein the inside mirror part and the outside mirror part are arranged to reflect predetermined regions of the inside field of vision and the outside field of vision, respectively, of behind the vehicle when seen from a virtual view point determined in accordance with a driver's view point position determined using predetermined physique data, and the inside mirror part and the outside mirror part are disposed at a height above the driver's view point position.

2. (Cancelled)

3. (Currently Amended) The integrated mirror mounted on a front pillar of a vehicle of claim 1, ~~further comprising attaching means provided part way along the coupling means and mounted rotatably in an upper part of the vehicle exterior part, and wherein~~ the inside mirror part and the outside mirror part are adapted to move in linkage about the attaching means as a center of rotation.

4. (Currently Amended) The integrated mirror mounted on a front pillar of a vehicle of claim 3 ~~claim 1~~, wherein the mirror position of both the inside mirror part and the outside mirror part is adjustable by moving the inside mirror part.

5. (Currently Amended) The integrated mirror mounted on a front pillar of a vehicle of claims 1, 3 or 4, wherein the ~~vehicle exterior part is~~ front pillar includes left and right front pillars.

6. (Cancelled)

7. (Cancelled)

8. (Currently Amended) The integrated mirror mounted on a front pillar of a

vehicle of claim 5 claim 1, wherein the virtual view point is provided in front of the front pillar and within a range of height from the ground to the vehicle height.

9. (Currently Amended) The integrated mirror mounted on a front pillar of a vehicle of claim 1, wherein the inside mirror part and the outside mirror part are on different planes that are parallel to each other.

10. (Currently Amended) The integrated mirror mounted on a front pillar of a vehicle of claim 1, wherein the inside mirror part and the outside mirror part have different shapes.

11. (Currently Amended) The integrated mirror mounted on a front pillar of a vehicle of claim 3 claim 1, wherein further comprising a pivoting joint for connecting an inner edge of the outside mirror part is coupled to an outer end of the coupling means by a, the pivoting joint extending in a direction parallel to the respective faces of the inside and outside mirror parts.

12. (Currently Amended) The integrated mirror mounted on a front pillar of a vehicle of claim 1, wherein the attaching means is a ball-shaped member that is moveable up and down an inside of the vehicle exterior part front pillar so that the height of the inside mirror part and the outside mirror part is adjustable so as to be maintained in a position above the view point position of various drivers having different heights.

13. (New) The integrated mirror mounted on a front pillar of a vehicle of claim 1, wherein portions of the coupling means extending from inner and outer sides of the attaching means are formed to curve rearwardly and toward each other, so that that the inside mirror part and the outside mirror part are disposed rearwardly with respect to the attaching means when the mirror parts are facing directly rearwardly.

14. (New) The integrated mirror mounted on a front pillar of a vehicle of claim 1, wherein the inside and outside mirror parts coupled to opposite ends the of the coupling member are arranged in positions that are equidistant from the attaching means mounted inside the front pillar.

15. (New) An integrated mirror mounted on a front pillar of a vehicle, comprising:
an inside mirror part for reflecting an inside field of vision of behind the vehicle;
an outside mirror part for reflecting an outside field of vision of behind the vehicle;
coupling means extending from inner and outer sides of the front pillar for coupling the inside mirror part and the outside mirror part so that their respective mirror faces are parallel with respect to each other;

ball-shaped attaching means provided partway along the coupling means and mounted rotatably and housed inside an upper part of the front pillar for attaching the integrated mirror to the front pillar; and

flexible packing disposed around the ball-shaped attaching means inside the front pillar to enable adjustment of the inside and outside mirror parts,

wherein the inside mirror part and the outside mirror part are arranged to reflect predetermined regions of the inside field of vision and the outside field of vision, respectively, of behind the vehicle when seen from a virtual view point determined in accordance with a driver's view point position determined using predetermined physique data, and the inside mirror part and the outside mirror part are disposed at a height above the driver's view point position.

16. (New) The integrated mirror mounted on a front pillar of a vehicle of claim 15, wherein portions of the coupling means extending from inner and outer sides of the attaching means are formed to curve rearwardly and toward each other, so that that the inside mirror part and the outside mirror part are disposed rearwardly with respect to the attaching means when the mirror parts are facing directly rearwardly.